HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 811 By Pleasant

A RESOLUTION to recognize Jeffery Paul Culley on becoming an Eagle Scout.

WHEREAS, at a time when this nation's youth face difficult challenges, the Boy Scouts of America is one of our finest assets, providing young people with an educational program that contributes significantly to their character development, citizenship training, and improved mental and physical fitness; and

WHEREAS, the highest rank a Boy Scout can attain is that of Eagle Scout and Jeff Culley, after considerable effort and diligent preparation, has joined the prestigious Eagle Court of Honor; and

WHEREAS, the son of Paul and Melanie Culley, Jeff has demonstrated considerable ability as a leader among his peers; and

WHEREAS, his notable record of achievement as a member of Boy Scout Troop 389 of the Chickasaw Council's Nashoba District includes 37 Merit Badges and distinguished service to the Troop as a Den Chief, Patrol Leader, Assistant Patrol Leader, and Senior Patrol Leader; and

WHEREAS, Jeff's Eagle project greatly contributed to the betterment of the Memphis and Shelby County community with the improvement of Shelby Forest State Park trails and reflected the true spirit of Volunteerism; and

WHEREAS, Jeff's ascension to the prestigious rank of Eagle Scout is a source of great pride for his parents, his school, his community, his fellow scouts, his former Scoutmaster Bob Reynolds, his present Scoutmaster Wayne McKinney, and Cub Master Nancy Thrasher; and

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that we should pause to recognize Jeff Culley as one of the most outstanding young people in our state; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE

CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Jeffrey Paul Culley on becoming an Eagle Scout, and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that copies of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final resolving clause omitted from such copy.

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